

Weekly Program Schedule

In-Person and Virtual Programs

Nov. 1-7, 2021

Monday, Nov. 1

10 a.m. — Messy Monday, Lovettsville Library: Listen to stories and make a craft. *For ages 0-5 with a caregiver.*

10:30 a.m. — Adult Yoga, Middleburg Library: This easy-flow class is adaptable to any level of experience.

Noon — Homeless Outreach Drop-In, Rust Library: PATH staff members provide information and resources from noon to 1:30 p.m. to assist individuals experiencing homelessness in Loudoun County.

1 p.m. — Diwali Make and Take Craft, Ashburn Library: Drop in between 1 and 4 p.m. to make a craft based on the Hindu Festival of Lights.



1:30 p.m. — Outdoor Messy Monday, Gum Spring Library: *For 18 months-age 5 with a caregiver.*

4 p.m. — Maker Monday for Kids, Middleburg Library

4 p.m. — STEAM Club, Rust Library: Explore balance by learning about center of gravity. Experiment by toppling a balloon turkey. *For Grades K-5.*

Subscribe to our YouTube channel to access recordings of our virtual programs.



Monday, Nov. 1 (continued)

5:30 p.m. — Teen Alliance, Rust Library: It's a safe, inclusive and fun place for all teens to participate in lively discussions, games on the Nintendo Switch and other activities. This month make buttons with different pronouns and pride flags.

7 p.m. — Adult Book Club, Cascades Library: Discuss *Girl Waits With Gun* by Amy Stewart.

Tuesday, Nov. 2

All branches are closed for Election Day.



Wednesday, Nov. 3

10 a.m. — Makerspace: Cameo Cutter Workshop, Gum Spring Library: Learn to use the Cameo Cutter to bring your homemade gift ideas to life. All skill levels welcome. Limited supplies provided.

Noon — Marshall Center Foreign Policy Book Club, Virtual: Discuss *The Gates of Europe* by Serhii Plokhy. Books are available by request at Rust Library.

1 p.m. — May There Always Be Project with Jim Gill, Virtual: Watch a video by children's author and musician Jim Gill to learn about a community book-making project. Instructions and templates are available at your nearest branch and online.

1:30 p.m. — Story Stroll, Gum Spring Library: Meet at the StoryWalk® welcome sign outside the library for stories and songs as you walk around the pond.

3:30 p.m. — Minecraft, Purcellville Library: Build, explore and meet other players.

Links for the virtual programs and the complete calendar are available at
library.loudoun.gov/calendar.



Wednesday, Nov. 3 (continued)

- 4 p.m. — Game On! for Teens**, Ashburn Library: Play Nintendo Switch and tabletop games or make a craft.
- 4 p.m. — Kaleidoscopes**, Brambleton Library: Explore the science of light and color as you create. *For Grades K-5.*
- 5:30 p.m. — Celebrate Diwali with Mehndi**, Brambleton Library: Drop in between 5:30 and 7 p.m. to practice your henna mehndi skills with an experienced mehndi artist.
- 5:30 p.m. — D&D Club for Teens**, Lovettsville Library: Bring your friends, create your characters and explore the world of Dungeons & Dragons.
- 6 p.m. — Family Movie Night**, Lovettsville Library: Watch *Coco*, Rated PG, 109 minutes.
- 6 p.m. — Alzheimer's Association: Healthy Living for Your Brain and Body**, Virtual: Learn about the latest research in healthy aging and gather strategies for developing your own plan for aging well.
- 6:30 p.m. — Sea Otters**, Virtual: Science writer Todd McLeish recounts his journeys along the Pacific Coast tracking the status, health and habits of sea otters.



- 7 p.m. — Middle School Book Club**, Gum Spring Library: Discuss *The False Prince* by Jennifer A. Nielsen.

Thursday, Nov. 4

- 9:30 a.m. — Teen Community Art: Zentangle**, Gum Spring Library: Stop by the Teen Center during library hours to make pattern art.
- 11 a.m. — Senior Trips**, Lovettsville Library: Loudoun County Parks, Recreation and Community Services discusses upcoming trips for people 55 years or older.

NOTE: Outdoor programs may be canceled or moved indoors in case of inclement weather. Check with the host branch for updates.

ESOL at LCPL

Advanced ESOL English Practice

Practice your English in this conversation-based program for advanced English learners.

Virtual: Monday, Nov. 1, 2 p.m.

English Conversation Group

Practice your English with other language learners.

Ashburn Library: Thursday, Nov. 4, 10 a.m.

Brambleton Library: Wednesday, Nov. 3, 11 a.m.

Gum Spring Library: Thursday, Nov. 4, 1 p.m.

Middleburg Library: Thursday, Nov. 4, 7 p.m.

Purcellville Library: Wednesday, Nov. 3, 7 p.m.

Rust Library: Wednesday, Nov. 3, 10:30 a.m.

Health Education for the ESOL Community

Learn about health-related topics while improving your English. *This multiweek class is co-sponsored by Loudoun Literacy Council.*

Brambleton Library: Thursday, Nov. 4, 7 p.m.

Thursday, Nov. 4 (continued)

- 2 p.m. — D&D for Beginners**, Brambleton Library: Use one of our level 1 characters or bring your own to participate in a one-shot Dungeons & Dragons adventure. *For teens.*
- 2 p.m. — Outdoor STEAM Club: Building Challenges**, Cascades Library: Practice your engineering skills as you build with different materials. *For Grades K-5.*
- 2 p.m. — Shrimp Game**, Cascades Library: See if you have what it takes to make it through a gauntlet of schoolyard games inspired by the hit Netflix show *Squid Game*. *For Grades 9-12.*
- 2 p.m. — Tech Thursday**, Rust Library: Visit between 2 and 4 p.m. for help with your phone, tablet or computer.
- 4 p.m. — Art at the Library: Coil Pots**, Ashburn Library: Watch Pamunkey tribal member Bonnie Sears demonstrate Native American pottery-making. Make your own coil pot to take home. *For Grades K-5.*
- 4 p.m. — My First Book Club**, Gum Spring Library: Discuss *Click Click Moo* by Doreen Cronin and enjoy games and a make-and-take craft. *For Grades K-1.*

Thursday, Nov. 4 (continued)

5:30 p.m. — Teen Video Game Hangout,

Lovettsville Library

6 p.m. — DIY: Art Night, Brambleton Library: Finger paint, draw with pastels or decorate rocks. *For teens and adults.*

6 p.m. — Teen Volunteer Drop-In, Cascades Library: Visit between 6 and 8 p.m. to help staff prepare items for library programs.

6 p.m. — D&D Club for Teens, Rust Library: Bring your own level 2 character or use one of ours. New Dungeons & Dragons players welcome.

6:30 p.m. — Armchair Travel: Amsterdam, Old Ox Brewery, 44652 Guilford Drive, #114, Ashburn: Take a photographic journey through the capital city of the Netherlands with art historian John Daum. Hear about the lives of famous citizens such as Rembrandt, Vincent Van Gogh and Anne Frank. *For ages 21+.*

6:30 p.m. — Top LinkedIn Tips for Job Seekers, Virtual: Sheila Murphy, co-founder of Flex Professionals, shows you how to use LinkedIn to find professional opportunities, grow your connections and be searchable online whether you're currently working or not.

7 p.m. — Makerspace: Zen Lab, Brambleton Library: Drop by for a creative activity that facilitates calm.

7 p.m. — Adult Book Club: Nonfiction, Gum Spring Library: Discuss *Craig & Fred: A Marine, a Stray Dog, and How They Rescued Each Other* by Craig Grossi.



For complete details, visit
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All Loudoun County Public Library programs are free. To request a reasonable accommodation for a disability, call 703-777-0368. Three days' notice is requested.

Friday, Nov. 5

10 a.m. — Dinosaur Sleepover,

Cascades Library: Bring your stuffed dinosaur or toy to the library between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. for a fun sleepover.

Pick up your pal on Monday, Nov. 8, and check for photos of them on the Cascades Library Facebook page in the meantime.

4 p.m. — Draw a Turkey, Virtual: Illustrator Orion Zangara provides step-by-step instruction.

5 p.m. — Teen Friday: Movie Night, Sterling Library: Watch *Five Feet Apart*, PG-13, 116 minutes.

6 p.m. — Teen Game Night, Brambleton Library

6 p.m. — After Hours Teen Center: Life-Size Hungry Hungry Hippos, Cascades Library: For information, including details about how to register, visit library.loudoun.gov/AHTC. *For teens age 12 to Grade 12.*



Saturday, Nov. 6

1 p.m. — Children's Concert with Jim Gill, Virtual: Tune in to this live performance, where Gill encourages fun interactions between kids and adults.

2 p.m. — Mystery Live! for Teens, Purcellville Library: Play detective as you unravel a mystery with live actors.

2 p.m. — Animal Crossing Extravaganza, Sterling Library: For new and seasoned players of Nintendo's *Animal Crossing*, this family-friendly carnival takes place the day after the new game update is released. Win amiibo cards and buttons by playing minigames and sharing your island with others.

Live Music at LCPL

Guitarist Brian Slaymaker

Ashburn Library, Saturday, Nov. 6, 2 p.m.

Enjoy classical selections as well as flamenco and classic rock arrangements.

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Cascades Library, Saturday, Nov. 6, 2 p.m.

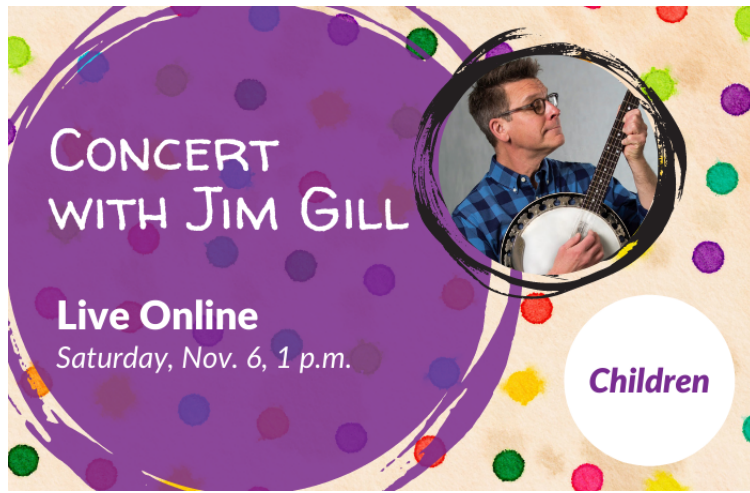
This multicultural ensemble performs original works inspired by world folk music.

Jeff Cosgrove and Company

Rust Library, Saturday, Nov. 6, 2 p.m.

Listen to a unique jazz conversation highlighting classic repertoire and spontaneous composition.





**CONCERT
WITH JIM GILL**

Live Online
Saturday, Nov. 6, 1 p.m.

Children

Enjoy a Library StoryWalk®

Brambleton Library:

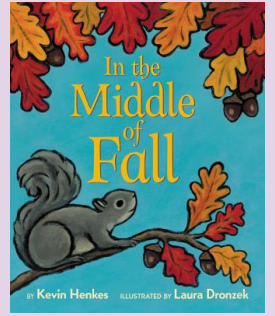
In the Middle of Fall
by Kevin Henkes, Nov. 3-30

Gum Spring Library:

Big Little Hippo
by Valeri Gorbachev, Nov. 1-15

Rust Library:

Run, Turkey, Run! by Diane Mayr, Nov. 1-30



Recommended ages with caregiver: Baby (0-18 months) • Toddler (18-36 months) • Preschool (3-5 years) • Family (all ages)



Monday, Nov. 1

Outdoor Baby Storytime

10 a.m., Ashburn Library

Outdoor Family Storytime

10 a.m., Cascades Library

10:15 a.m., Purcellville Library

Online Storytime

11 a.m., Virtual

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Wednesday, Nov. 3

Outdoor Baby Storytime

10 a.m., Rust Library

Outdoor Toddler Storytime

10 a.m., Ashburn Library

Outdoor Preschool Storytime

11 a.m., Ashburn Library

Outdoor Family Storytime

10 a.m., Cascades Library

10 a.m., Lovettsville Library

10:15 a.m., Purcellville Library

10:30 a.m., Brambleton Library

(at Legacy Park)*

10:30 a.m., Sterling Library

10:45 a.m., Cascades Library

Family Storytime

6 p.m., Sterling Library

Thursday, Nov. 4

Outdoor Baby Storytime

11 a.m., Gum Spring Library
(at Amphitheater)**

Outdoor Preschool Storytime

10 a.m., Rust Library

Outdoor Family Storytime

10 a.m., Cascades Library

10:15 a.m., Gum Spring Library
(at Amphitheater)**

10:30 a.m., Brambleton Library
(at Legacy Park)*

10:30 a.m., Sterling Library

1:30 p.m., Ashburn Library

Bilingual Storytime/Hora de cuentos bilingüe

10:15 a.m., Purcellville Library

Friday, Nov. 5

Online Storytime

11 a.m., Virtual

Saturday, Nov. 6

Outdoor Family Storytime

10 a.m., Ashburn Library

10 a.m., Cascades Library

10 a.m., Rust Library

*Legacy Park is in Brambleton, at the intersection of Olympia Drive and Emberbrook Circle.

**Stone Ridge HOA Amphitheater is next to the clubhouse at 24609 Nettle Mill Square.
Please park at Gum Spring Library and walk to the amphitheater. Parking is not available onsite.